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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2006 issued in the above-identified U.S. patent application. In view of the amendments to the claims and the following remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.